REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

| Application Number | 10/698,392 |
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| Confirmation Number | 2716 |
| Filing Date | November 3, 2003 |
| First Named Inventor | Kazuo HIRAGUCHI |
| Group Art Unit | 3652 |
| Examiner Name | Charles N. GREENHUT |
| Matter Number | Q78054 |
| STRUCTURE FOR HOLDING RECORDING | |
| TAPE CARTRIDGE AND METHOD OF | |

| plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995 | Title MANUFACTURING SAID STRUCTURE | | |
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| This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. | | | |
| 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a. □ Previously submitted i. □ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/repl previously filed on ii. □ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or R iii.□ Other | eply Brief previously filed on | | |
| b. Amendment/Reply ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) iv. Petition for Extension of Time v. Other | | | |
| 2. MISCELLANEOUS a. □ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months b. □ Other | | | |
| 3. FEES The statutory fee of \$790.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. | | | |
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